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## Mothers' Club Meeting.

The Parents', Teachers' and Friends' Club met Monday at 4 p. m. at the High School building. The meeting was opened by repeating the Lord's prayer, Mrs. Jones presiding.

After roll call and reading of minutes of the last meeting the different committees were heard from.

The committees for amending constitution and by-laws were unprepared to report.

Committees for the Clean-up were present, but Mrs. Jones reported very favorably for them and the gentle breeze wafting the fumes from the burning trash was more evidence of their activity.

Mrs. Schmitt gave the report for the committee which was appointed to assist in advertising the cooking school. This report was very satisfactory as the efforts of the mothers and the demonstrators netted us the net sum of \$21.95.

A letter from the Borderland Male Quartette Concert Co. was read and discussed, but thought best to reject it for the present.

Much time was consumed in discussing the various needs of the school and the hindrances toward obtaining affiliation.

Prof. Peterson read a statement from Dr. Fletcher in regard to the rating of the Hondo school. Mrs. Jungman's resignation as president was read and accepted.

The former president, Mrs. Jones, was re-elected and crowned with fresh laurels. This being the last meeting of the year the President appointed the following committees for the summer.

Committees for the year books and programs, Mrs. L. J. Brucks, Prof. Peterson and Miss Stella Stone; committees to attend to having the trees watered, Mrs. Wm. Hancock, Mr. D. W. Short and Mrs. W. N. Schott; committees to secure books for the library and help for the school, Prof. Peterson, Miss Stella Stone and Mrs. Monkhouse.

Prof. Peterson thanked the club in behalf of the school for their work the past year. Assuring us that no one at the teachers and pupils knew the comfort derived from the cement walks during the excessive rainy season.

The program for the evening was very interesting. Miss Darden read a very strong paper on the needs of children during the school age, pointing out the disadvantages of a school room not properly ventilated and heated, reminding us that the stove or heating apparatus should be placed on the north side of the room and that desks and seats should be suited to the size of the children. She did not overlook the lunch basket, showing that proper nourishment was necessary for the child mentally as well as physically.

Miss Harris read a very pleasing and interesting paper on the refining influence of music. Of course, being a talented musician, she studied the subject with ease and the paper showed to have been written by one who wielded the pen very gracefully.

## CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

## F. F. F's. Entertained.

Miss Mabel Holloway entertained the F. F. F's. at an evening party last Saturday. Sweet-peas were effectively used as decorations. The guests on their arrival were ushered into a music room where several beautiful selections were rendered. The reception room, decked with ferns and sweet-peas, was then thrown open to the guests and the games of forty-two and croquet were enjoyed for an hour, after which they went into the dining room, the guests being seated around a prettily decorated table, the center decoration being a large basket of sweet-peas, delicious refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served and punch was passed the entire evening. The games were then continued until a late hour, the guests departing complimented Miss Holloway as being an ideal hostess.

## Mexican Killed.

Tom Johnson, one of the best known men of the lower part of the county, was killed by a bullet from a Mexican on the Johnson ranch last Sunday. The trouble leading up to the homicide, as far as we know, have not been disclosed. Mr. Johnson, acting under the advice of counsel, declining to make a statement.

An examining trial was held at Hondo Monday, and Mr. Johnson was held to the grand jury in a bond of \$10,000, which was readily given with J. Butts, H. W. Butts and Louis Johnson as sureties.

## Yancey News.

Mrs. J. P. Nixon has as her guest this week, her mother, Mrs. Neal of Lytle, also Mrs. Neal and little son of the same place.

Mrs. H. G. Wilson and daughters, Misses Fannie and Dora Mae, visited Mrs. J. P. Nixon Wednesday.

S. P. Childers and son, Folk, went to Hondo on business Wednesday.

Mrs. N. W. Ward and B. C. Wood were in Yancey Tuesday shopping.

Miss Emma Wood returned from Del Rio Sunday. Miss Emma has filled a position of governess for the past seven months.

Mrs. M. T. Ward and daughter, Miss Emma, visited relatives in the Styles community Wednesday.

J. C. Newton and family went to San Antonio on business and pleasure. Also Jim and Joe Burgin, who accompanied their brother, J. D., to San Antonio. J. D. has been ill of late and was taken to San Antonio for treatment. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. J. D. Burgin and mother, Mrs. Smith, accompanied them to San Antonio and then took the train for Luling, their former home.

Misses Louise Kueck and Luella Burgin left on Wednesday morning's train for San Antonio on a several days visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. Lee Ward has been sick for the past several days. We hope she will soon be able to be up and about again.

Our trustees are engaged in taking the scholastic census for this district this week.

Mrs. T. C. Hickman entertained the young ladies Sunday school class Thursday afternoon. Cake and lemonade were served.

Farmers in this vicinity are beginning to reap the oat crop, and, while the yield is not an extra heavy one, there will be sufficient made for feed.

H. N. Burgin is harvesting his onion crop this week, having an acre planted in onions which are turning out a fair yield.

C. J. Oefinger and family went to New Fountain Thursday to visit relatives.

Yancey, Tex., May 12, 1915.

## Grandma Schott is Dead.

Mrs. Mary Schott, aged and beloved wife of Dom. Schott, Sr., died at her home on Sayers street, Wednesday morning, following an illness of several days. Her maiden name was Mary Saltnier. She was born in Wettelheim, Alsace, France, September 14, 1832 and was married to Mr. Schott, also a native of that town, on May 1, 1853. They came to Texas in 1865, since which time they have lived in this county, at Castroville and Devine. She is survived by six children, August and Louis Schott of Devine, Dom. Schott of D'Hanis, Miss Mary Schott of Alsace, Mrs. J. G. Kempf and Mrs. Louis Kempf of Devine and almost a hundred grandchildren and great-grandchildren. The aged couple celebrated their golden wedding three years ago, May 1, 1912, when the picture which appears in this issue, was made. Deceased was a kind-hearted, lovable christian woman and none knew her but to love her. As we go to press arrangements are being made for the funeral from the St. Joseph church, Rev. Planchet officiating, and promises to be one of the largest ever seen in Devine.—Devine News.

## Alumni Association Met.

The Hondo High School Alumni Association met at the High School building in regular business session Tuesday, May 11, 1915. Although not many present, all seemed to be very much enthused over the success of the association since its organization—two years ago.

The officers of the past year positively refusing to endure the hardships of office for a second term, new officers were elected. After a very strenuous political (suffragetical) campaign the following officers were elected: Miss Johanna Rothe, President; Miss Jennie Woods, 1st Vice-President; Miss Hilda Muennink, 2nd Vice-President; Miss Emma Muennink, 3rd Vice-President; Miss Mabel Holloway, 4th Vice-President; Miss Laura Woods, Secretary; Miss Emabel Rogers, Treasurer.

After old and new business had been disposed of it was decided to give the annual reception Tuesday night, May 25, 1915.

No further business, the meeting adjourned.

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## Hondo 2, Devine 4.

Friday, May 7th, Hondo played a game of ball with Devine, but it proved too much for Redus, as he had everything necessary to beat the local boys, even had not the local boys milled around quite badly several times.

Bradley was good, except for a little wildness, and his pitching would have won an ordinary game, but the Devine boys came to town to win, and win they did.

It was as good a game from every standpoint as is put up by any minor league team, and the large crowd enjoyed every inning of it.

Hondo had no advantage in playing on their new grounds, as it was the first game played on the new grounds, and this, with the large crowd, perhaps rattled some of the youngsters on the team. Devine was the first to tally; McKaig got a walk, so did Redus, and Bowman slammed one to Filleman, who promptly kicked it, allowing two scores.

Everything rocked along without interest until the 4th inning when Gray for the home team got a nice two-bagger and came home when Devine made a misuke on Miller's jitney. Hondo tied the score in the 7th when Filleman hit a peach over in right and came home on Ezzell's three-bagger.

Devine came right back in the 8th and scored twice by nice hitting by Crawford and Bowman, and it was all over but the shouting.

There were no special features of this game, both teams played hard, consistent ball, and Devine got the breaks which was enough to win any game.

Batteries: Devine, Redus and Crawford; Hondo, Bradley and Goff.

Umpire, Dr. Smith.

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## District Court Adjourns.

The following business was disposed of by the district court last week, in addition to our previous reports:

State vs. Emmett Tumlinson, charge, forgery. Plea of guilty entered, and his punishment assessed at two years in the penitentiary. The good reputation previously borne by the defendant caused the jury to recommend to the court that he be given a suspended sentence, and it was so ordered by the court.

In the case of Alois Hornung vs. Uneeda Bridge Co., plea of defendants to be sued in their home county (Travis) was overruled by the court. Defendants excepted, and case continued by operation of law.

J. A. Blackburn, F. G. Muennink and E. G. Haby, jury commissioners, returned into court the list of grand jurors and petit jurors for the first two weeks of the fall term of the court.

Criminal cases Nos. 2518, 2559, 2572, 2573, 2603, 2604, 2612, 2616 and 2653, in which no arrests have been made, were continued to perfect service.

State vs. W. R. Meredith, charge, embezzlement. Continued by the State.

State vs. Granville Grant, charge, assault to murder. Continued on application of defendant.

Court adjourned Saturday for the term.

## Commissioners' Court.

The commissioners' court met in regular session Monday, and have been industriously at work ever since. Routine work has occupied the greater part of the time of the court.

A committee of citizens appeared before the court and asked that a road along the railroad from Pearson to Lacoste be established. The petition of the committee was granted.

A committee of citizens from Devine also appeared before the court and asked for the establishment of a road from Devine to the county line to connect with the Atascosa highway. The court will view the proposed road.

A full account of the proceedings of the court will appear in next week's paper.

## The F. F. F's. Meeting.

Miss Emma Muennink entertained the F. F. F's. at a delightful party Monday evening.

The first event of the evening was the degrees conferred upon Miss Hilda Muennink, the girls for the first time conferring the mysterious red mask degree—very interesting.

A delicious ice course was served during the evening.

All members of this interesting club were present.

The next meeting will be held with Miss Christine Pike.

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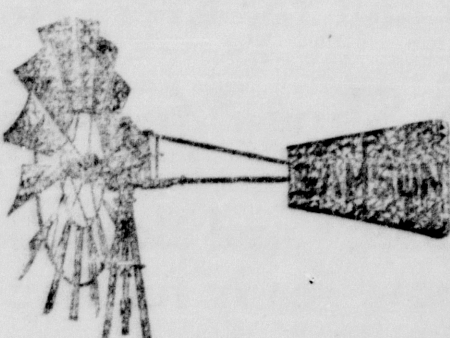
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Mrs. A. L. De la Zerda, Floresville, Texas, says: "Frequently I suffered from a dull ache across my back and it was impossible for me to do my housework. Doan's Kidney Pills made a positive cure and no symptoms of the trouble have returned. Others of my family have found Doan's Kidney Pills no less beneficial than I have."

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## Chamberlain's Liniment.

This preparation is intended especially for rheumatism, lame back, sprains and like ailments. It is a favorite with people who are well acquainted with its splendid qualities. Mrs. Charles Tanner, Wabash, Ind., says of it, "I have found Chamberlain's Liniment the best thing for lame back and sprains I have ever used. It works like a charm and relieves pain and soreness. It has been used by others of my family as well as myself for upwards of twenty years." 25 and 50 cent bottles. For sale by All Dealers.

An ugly baby is something no mother ever possessed.

## Sick Headache.

Mrs. A. L. Luckie, East Rochester, N. Y., was a victim of sick headache and despondency, caused by a badly weakened and debilitated condition of her stomach, when she began taking Chamberlain's Tablets. She says, "I found them pleasant to take, also mild and effective. In a few weeks' time I was restored to my former good health." For sale by All Dealers.

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## Whooping Cough.

"About a year ago my three boys had whooping cough, and I found Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the only one that would relieve their coughing spells. I continued this treatment and was surprised to find that it cured the disease in a very short time," writes Mrs. Archie Dairymple, Crooksville, Ohio. For sale by All Dealers.

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# HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1.

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 2, of Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto a provision authorizing a qualified voter to vote for State officers, or on any proposition submitted to the voters of this State in a precinct other than the precinct of his residence under certain conditions, and making an appropriation therefor.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 2, of Article 6, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

Sec. 2. Every male person subject to none of the foregoing disqualifications, who shall have attained the age of twenty-one years, and who shall be a citizen of the United States, and who shall have resided in this State one year next preceding an election, and the last six months within the district or county in which he offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector, and every male person of foreign birth, subject to none of the foregoing disqualifications, who shall have become a citizen of the United States in accordance with the Federal naturalization laws, and shall have resided in this State one year next preceding such election and the last six months in the county in which he offers to vote, shall also be deemed a qualified elector; and all electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence; provided, that electors living in any unorganized county may vote in any election precinct in the county to which such county is attached for judicial purposes; and providing further, that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas shall have paid said tax before he offers to vote at any election in this State, and holds a receipt showing his poll tax paid before the first day of February next preceding such election. Or, if said voter shall have lost or misplaced said tax receipt, he shall be entitled to vote upon making affidavit before any officer authorized to administer oaths that such tax receipt has been lost. Such affidavit shall be made in writing and left with the judge of the election. If any qualified voter in this State shall have personally paid his poll tax in the county and precinct of his residence, or secured an exemption certificate showing that he is exempt from paying a poll tax, he shall be permitted to vote in the county in which he may be on election day on any proposition which may have been submitted to the voters of the entire State, and for any office to be filled by the voters of the entire State; also for members of either branch of the Legislature and Congress and judicial officials; provided, no voter shall vote for members of either branch of the Legislature, Congress, or judicial officials outside of the legislative, congressional or judicial district of such voter's residence, and nothing herein shall permit a voter to vote at any place other than his residence, if he be within the county of his residence on election day. Any person offering to vote in any county other than the county of his residence shall deliver to the election managers his poll tax receipt or exemption certificate, who shall retain same until the following day, and then mail same to the person depositing same to any address he may name; and in addition to depositing the poll tax receipt or exemption certificate, such person so offering to vote shall make an affidavit:

(1) That he is absent from home, and it will be impossible for him to return to the precinct of his residence in time to vote; (2) that he has not voted at any other election precinct on that day, and will not offer to vote at any other precinct in this State; (3) that he personally paid his poll tax within the time provided by law, or personally secured the certificate of his exemption from the payment of a poll tax.

Sec. 3. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for members of the Legislature at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the fourth Saturday in July, 1915, the same being the twenty-fourth day of July, 1915, and the Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and to have same published, as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. Those favoring the amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For amendment to Section 2, of Article 6, of the Constitution, authorizing qualified voters to vote in precincts other than the precinct of their residence under certain conditions." Those opposing the amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against amendment to Section 2, of Article 6, of the Constitution, authorizing qualified voters to vote in precincts other than the precinct of their residence under certain conditions."

Sec. 4. No Legislation shall be necessary to put into effect this article of the Constitution, but when adopted same shall be self-enacting.

Sec. 5. The sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of such proclamation, publication and election.

JOHN G. McKAY,  
Secretary of State.  
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# SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3.

A proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, amending Article 5, Section 2, of the Constitution of said State, so as to provide that the Supreme Court of this State shall consist of a Chief Justice and four Associate Justices, to be elected by the qualified electors of the State of Texas.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 2, of Article 5, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 2. The Supreme Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and four Associate Justices, any three of whom shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of three judges shall be necessary to the decision of a case. No person shall be eligible to the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court unless he be at the time of his election a citizen of the United States, and of this State, and unless he shall have attained the age of thirty years, and shall have been a practicing lawyer or a Judge of a Court, or such lawyer and judge together, at least seven years. Said Chief Justice and Associate Justices shall be elected by the qualified voters of the State at a general election, shall hold their offices six years, or until their successors are elected and qualified, and shall each receive an annual salary of five thousand dollars, or until otherwise provided by law. In case of a vacancy in the office of Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, the Governor shall fill the vacancy until the next general election for said officers; and at such general election the vacancy for the unexpired term shall be filled by election by the qualified voters of the State. The Judges of the Supreme Court who may be in office, at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until the expiration of their term of office under the present Constitution, and until their successors are elected and qualified.

Immediately after the adoption of this amendment the Governor of this State shall call an election for the purpose of electing two Associate Justices of the Supreme Court, one of whom shall, when elected, hold said office for four years, and one of whom, when elected, shall hold said office for six years, and the question of which of them shall hold for four years and which of them hold for six years shall be determined by lot, as now provided by law.

Sec. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation, ordering an election to determine whether or not said Constitution amendments will be adopted, and have the same published, as required by the Constitution and the laws of this State. Said election shall be held on the fourth Saturday in July, 1915, and the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00), or so much thereof as necessary, is hereby appropriated from any fund in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of printing said proclamation and of holding said election.

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Secretary of State.  
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# HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 4.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas proposing and submitting to a vote of the people of Texas an amendment to Section 9, Article 8, of the Constitution, authorizing the levy and collection of a special road tax not to exceed fifty cents on the one hundred dollars of valuation of property in any county, subdivision or subdivisions, or defined district thereof, when same has been authorized by a majority of the qualified electors voting at an election held for that purpose, and making an appropriation for carrying out the provisions of this resolution.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 9, Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows, to-wit:

Section 9. The State tax on property, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, and of the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall never exceed thirty-five cents on the one hundred dollars valuation; and no county, city or town shall levy more than twenty-five cents for city or county purposes, and not exceeding fifteen cents for roads and bridges, and not exceeding fifteen cents to pay jurors, on the one hundred dollars valuation, except for the payment of debts incurred prior to the adoption of the amendment, September 25, 1883; and for the erection of public buildings, streets, sewers, water works and other permanent improvements, not to exceed one dollar on the one hundred dollars valuation in any one year, and except as is in this Constitution otherwise provided, the Legislature may also authorize an additional annual ad valorem tax to be levied and collected for the further building and maintenance of the public roads; provided, that a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters of the county, or of any political subdivision or subdivisions of the county, or of any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within any county, who has been assessed a property tax and paid said tax for the next year prior to the time he offers to vote, voting at an election held for that purpose, shall vote such tax, not to exceed fifty cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of property subject to taxation in such county, political subdivision or subdivisions, or described or defined district. And the Legislature may pass local laws for the maintenance of the public roads and highways, without the local notice required for special or local laws.

Sec. 2. The foregoing amendment to Section 9, Article 8, of the Constitution of Texas shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State for adoption or rejection at an election to be held on the fourth Saturday in the month of July, 1915. All voters on this proposed amendment at said election who favor its adoption shall have printed or written on their ballots the following: "For amendment to Section 9, Article 8, of the Constitution, authorizing the levy and collection of a special road tax not to exceed fifty cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of property in any county, subdivision or subdivisions, or defined district thereof, when same has been authorized by a majority of the qualified electors at an election held for that purpose." Those voting against its adoption shall have written or printed on their ballots the following: "Against the amendment to Section 9, Article 8, of the Constitution, authorizing the levy and collection of a special road tax not to exceed fifty cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of property in any county, subdivision or subdivisions, or defined district thereof, when same has been authorized by a majority of the qualified electors at an election held for that purpose."

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# HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas proposing and submitting to a vote of the people of Texas an amendment to Section 52, Article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for public improvements, and levying of a tax to pay the interest and sinking fund on same, and for maintenance.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 52, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows, to-wit:

Section 52. The Legislature shall have no power to authorize any county, city, town or other political corporation or subdivision of the State, to lend its credit or to grant public money or thing of value in aid of, or to, any individual, association or corporation whatsoever, or to become a stockholder in such corporation, association or company, provided, however, that under legislative provision any county, any political subdivision of a county, or any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas, which may or may not include towns, villages, or municipal corporations, upon a vote of two-thirds majority of the resident property tax payers voting thereon who are qualified electors of such district or territory to be affected thereby, in addition to all other debts may issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed value of the real property of such district or territory; except that the

total bonded indebtedness of any city or town shall never exceed the limits imposed by other provisions of this constitution; and levy and collect such taxes to pay the interest thereon and provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof as the Legislature may authorize, and in such manner as it may authorize the same, for the following purposes, to-wit:

(a) The improvement of rivers, creeks and streams to prevent overflows, and to permit of navigation thereof, or irrigation therefrom, or in aid of such purposes.

(b) The construction and maintenance of pools, lakes, reservoirs, dams, canals and waterways for the purposes of irrigation, drainage or navigation, or in aid thereof.

(c) The construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, gravelled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof.

Provided, however, that under legislative enactment any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas, which may be formed for the purpose of reclaiming and improving flooded and swamp lands in this State, and maintaining the improvements thereof, may, upon a vote of two-thirds majority of the resident property tax payers voting thereon who are qualified electors of such district or territory, in addition to all other debts, issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed fifty per cent of the assessed valuation of the real property in such district or territory.

Provided, further, that where a county, district or other political subdivision has issued bonds for improvements for the purposes named in this section, the Legislature may authorize the levy and collection of taxes for the maintenance of such improvements, not to exceed fifty cents on the hundred dollars valuation in any one year.

Sec. 2. The foregoing amendment of Section 52, of Article 3, of the Constitution of Texas, shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State for its adoption or rejection, at a special election hereby ordered for the fourth Saturday in July, A. D. 1915, the same being the day of said month. All voters on this proposed amendment at said election who favor its adoption shall have printed or written on their ballots the following: "For amendment of Section 52, of Article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for levee, drainage, road and other public improvements, and for taxes therefor." Those voting against its adoption shall have printed or written on their ballots the following: "Against the amendment of Section 52, of Article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for levee, drainage, road and other public improvements, and for taxes therefor."

Previous to the election the Secretary of State shall cause to be printed and forwarded to the county judge of each county, for use in said election, a sufficient number of ballots for the use of the voters in each county, on which he shall have printed the form of ballot herein prescribed, for the convenient use of voters.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation ordering this election, and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of publishing said proclamation, and printing and distributing the necessary tickets and blanks for use in said election.

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# HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas proposing and submitting to a vote of the people of Texas an amendment to Section 52, Article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for public improvements, and levying of a tax to pay the interest and sinking fund on same, and for maintenance.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 52, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows, to-wit:

Section 52. The Legislature shall have no power to authorize any county, city, town or other political corporation or subdivision of the State, to lend its credit or to grant public money or thing of value in aid of, or to, any individual, association or corporation whatsoever, or to become a stockholder in such corporation, association or company, provided, however, that under legislative provision any county, any political subdivision of a county, or any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas, which may or may not include towns, villages, or municipal corporations, upon a vote of two-thirds majority of the resident property tax payers voting thereon who are qualified electors of such district or territory to be affected thereby, in addition to all other debts may issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed value of the real property of such district or territory; except that the

total bonded indebtedness of any city or town shall never exceed the limits imposed by other provisions of this constitution; and levy and collect such taxes to pay the interest thereon and provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof as the Legislature may authorize, and in such manner as it may authorize the same, for the following purposes, to-wit:

(a) The improvement of rivers, creeks and streams to prevent overflows, and to permit of navigation thereof, or irrigation therefrom, or in aid of such purposes.

(b) The construction and maintenance of pools, lakes, reservoirs, dams, canals and waterways for the purposes of irrigation, drainage or navigation, or in aid thereof.

(c) The construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, gravelled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof.

Provided, however, that under legislative enactment any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas, which may be formed for the purpose of reclaiming and improving flooded and swamp lands in this State, and maintaining the improvements thereof, may, upon a vote of two-thirds majority of the resident property tax payers voting thereon who are qualified electors of such district or territory, in addition to all other debts, issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed fifty per cent of the assessed valuation of the real property in such district or territory.

Provided, further, that where a county, district or other political subdivision has issued bonds for improvements for the purposes named in this section, the Legislature may authorize the levy and collection of taxes for the maintenance of such improvements, not to exceed fifty cents on the hundred dollars valuation in any one year.

Sec. 2. The foregoing amendment of Section 52, of Article 3, of the Constitution of Texas, shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State for its adoption or rejection, at a special election hereby ordered for the fourth Saturday in July, A. D. 1915, the same being the day of said month. All the voters voting on this proposed amendment at said election who favor the adoption shall have printed or written on their ballots, "For amendment to Article 7, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for the separation of the University of the State of Texas and the Agricultural and Mechanical College and an equitable division of the university lands." All voters voting on this proposed amendment at said election who oppose its adoption shall have printed or written on their ballots the following: "Against amendment to Article 7, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for the separation of the University of the State of Texas and the Agricultural and Mechanical College and an equitable division of the university lands." Provisions to the election the Secretary of State shall cause to be printed and forwarded to the County Judge of each county for use in said election a sufficient number of ballots, for the use of voters in said county, on which shall be printed the form of ballot herein prescribed for the convenience of the voters.

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# HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas proposing and submitting to a vote of the people of Texas an amendment to Section 52, Article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for public improvements, and levying of a tax to pay the interest and sinking fund on same, and for maintenance.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 52, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows, to-wit:

Section 52. The Legislature shall have no power to authorize any county, city, town or other political corporation or subdivision of the State, to lend its credit or to grant public money or thing of value in aid of, or to, any individual, association or corporation whatsoever, or to become a stockholder in such corporation, association or company, provided, however, that under legislative provision any county, any political subdivision of a county, or any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas, which may or may not include towns, villages, or municipal corporations, upon a vote of two-thirds majority of the resident property tax payers voting thereon who are qualified electors of such district or territory to be affected thereby, in addition to all other debts may issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed value of the real property of such district or territory; except that the

total bonded indebtedness of any city or town shall never exceed the limits imposed by other provisions of this constitution; and levy and collect such taxes to pay the interest thereon and provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof as the Legislature may authorize, and in such manner as it may authorize the same, for the following purposes, to-wit:

(a) The improvement of rivers, creeks and streams to prevent overflows, and to permit of navigation thereof, or irrigation therefrom, or in aid of such purposes.

(b) The construction and maintenance of pools, lakes, reservoirs, dams, canals and waterways for the purposes of irrigation, drainage or navigation, or in aid thereof.

(c) The construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, gravelled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof.

Provided, however, that under legislative enactment any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas, which may be formed for the purpose of reclaiming and improving flooded and swamp lands in this State, and maintaining the improvements thereof, may, upon a vote of two-thirds majority of the resident property tax payers voting thereon who are qualified electors of such district or territory, in addition to all other debts, issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed fifty per cent of the assessed valuation of the real property in such district or territory.

Provided, further, that where a county, district or other political subdivision has issued bonds for improvements for the purposes named in this section, the Legislature may authorize the levy and collection of taxes for the maintenance of such improvements, not to exceed fifty cents on the hundred dollars valuation of property in any county, subdivision or subdivisions, or defined district thereof, when same has been authorized by a majority of the qualified electors voting at an election held for that purpose, and making an appropriation for carrying out the provisions of this resolution.

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# HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 8.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas proposing and submitting to a vote of the people of Texas an amendment to Section 52, Article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for public improvements, and levying of a tax to pay the interest and sinking fund on same, and for maintenance.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 52, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows, to-wit:

Section 52. The Legislature shall have no power to authorize any county, city, town or other political corporation or subdivision of the State, to lend its credit or to grant public money or thing of value in aid of, or to, any individual, association or corporation whatsoever, or to become a stockholder in such corporation, association or company, provided, however, that under legislative provision any county, any political subdivision of a county, or any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas, which may or may not include towns, villages, or municipal corporations, upon a vote of two-thirds majority of the resident property tax payers voting thereon who are qualified electors of such district or territory to be affected thereby, in addition to all other debts may issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed value of the real property of such district or territory; except that the

total bonded indebtedness of any city or town shall never exceed the limits imposed by other provisions of this constitution; and levy and collect such taxes to pay the interest thereon and provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof as the Legislature may authorize, and in such manner as it may authorize the same, for the following purposes, to-wit:

(a) The improvement of rivers, creeks and streams to prevent overflows, and to permit of navigation thereof, or irrigation therefrom, or in aid of such purposes.

(b) The construction and maintenance of pools, lakes, reservoirs, dams, canals and waterways for the purposes of irrigation, drainage or navigation, or in aid thereof.

(c) The construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, gravelled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof.

Provided, however, that under legislative enactment any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas, which may be formed for the purpose of reclaiming and improving flooded and swamp lands in this State, and maintaining the improvements thereof, may, upon a vote of two-thirds majority of the resident property tax payers voting thereon who are qualified electors of such district or territory, in addition to all other debts, issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed fifty per cent of the assessed valuation of the real property in such district or territory.

Provided, further, that where a county, district or other political subdivision has issued bonds for improvements for the purposes named in this section, the Legislature may authorize the levy and collection of taxes for the maintenance of such improvements, not to exceed fifty cents on the hundred dollars valuation of property in any county, subdivision or subdivisions, or defined district thereof, when same has been authorized by a majority of the qualified electors voting at an election held for that purpose, and making an appropriation for carrying out the provisions of this resolution.

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# HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas proposing and submitting to a vote of the people of Texas an amendment to Section 52, Article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for public improvements, and levying of a tax to pay the interest and sinking fund on same, and for maintenance.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 3b, which shall read and be as follows, to-wit:

Sec. 3b. The Commissioners' Court of each county in this State shall have the power, and is hereby authorized, when a majority of the qualified voters of such county shall vote to create such fund, to create a fund to be known as a "Students' Loan Fund," for the purpose of enabling students of the public free schools of said county to borrow money to be used in their education for the purpose of graduating from the county public schools, and after graduation to continue their education in any higher State institution of learning, such fund to be created and administered by the Commissioners' Court of each county as may be provided by law.

Sec. 2. And the Legislature may authorize an additional ad valorem tax to be levied and collected within such county for the purpose of raising said students' loan fund, said tax not to exceed in any one year twenty cents (20c) on the one hundred dollars (\$100.00) valuation of the property, subject to taxation in each county; provided, that a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters of the county voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax. Provided, that if the tax is adopted, after it has been enforced for two years, an election may be held, on the order of the Commissioners' Court, to determine whether or not said tax shall be repealed; and provided, further, that it shall be the duty of the Commissioners' Court to order such election upon a petition so to do by twenty-five per cent of the qualified tax paying voters of the county.

Sec. 3. The Legislature shall pass the necessary laws carrying into effect this provision of the Constitution.

Sec. 4. That the above and foregoing proposed amendment shall be duly published once a week for four weeks, commencing at least three (3) months before a special election to be held for the purpose of voting upon such proposed amendment, on the fourth Saturday in July, 1915, in one weekly newspaper of each county in the State of Texas, in which such newspaper may be published. And the Governor shall, and he is hereby directed, to issue the necessary proclamation for the submission of this proposed amendment to the qualified electors for members of the Legislature. At such election all persons favoring such amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words, "For the Amendment to Section 3, of Article 7, of the Constitution, adding thereto Section 3b, authorizing the Commissioners' Court to create a Students' Loan Fund," and those opposed thereto shall have written or printed on their ballots the words, "Against the Amendment to Section 3, of Article 7, of the Constitution, adding thereto Section 3b, authorizing the Commissioners' Court to create a Students' Loan Fund."

Sec. 5. That \$5,000.00, or as much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of advertising and holding the election provided for above.

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# SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 12.

A Joint Resolution proposing and submitting to a vote of the people of Texas an amendment to Section 52, of Article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for public improvements, and levying of a tax to pay the interest and sinking fund on same, and for maintenance.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 52, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows, to-wit:

Section 52. The Legislature shall have no power to authorize any county, city, town or other political corporation or subdivision of the State, to lend its credit or to grant public money or thing of value in aid of, or to, any individual, association or corporation whatsoever, or to become a stockholder in such corporation, association or company, provided, however, that under legislative provision any county, any political subdivision of a county, or any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas, which may or may not include towns, villages, or municipal corporations, upon a vote of two-thirds majority of the resident property tax payers voting thereon who are qualified electors of such district or territory to be affected thereby, in addition to all other debts may issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed value of the real property of such district or territory; except that the

total bonded indebtedness of any city or town shall never exceed the limits imposed by other provisions of this constitution; and levy and collect such taxes to pay the interest thereon and provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof as the Legislature may authorize, and in such manner as it may authorize the same, for the following purposes, to-wit:

(a) The improvement of rivers, creeks and streams to prevent overflows, and to permit of navigation thereof, or irrigation therefrom, or in aid of such purposes.

(b) The construction and maintenance of pools, lakes, reservoirs, dams, canals and waterways for the purposes of irrigation, drainage or navigation, or in aid thereof.

(c) The construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, gravelled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof.

Provided, however, that under legislative enactment any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas, which may be formed for the purpose of reclaiming and improving flooded and swamp lands in this State, and maintaining the improvements thereof, may, upon a vote of two-thirds majority of the resident property tax payers voting thereon who are qualified electors of such district or territory, in addition to all other debts, issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed fifty per cent of the assessed valuation of the real property in such district or territory.

Provided, further, that where a county, district or other political subdivision has issued bonds for improvements for the purposes named in this section, the Legislature may authorize the levy and collection of taxes for the maintenance of such improvements, not to exceed fifty cents on the hundred dollars valuation of property in any county, subdivision or subdivisions, or defined district thereof, when same has been authorized by a majority of the qualified electors voting at an election held for that purpose, and making an appropriation for carrying out the provisions of this resolution.

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# HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10.

A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas proposing and submitting to a vote of the people of Texas an amendment to Section 52, Article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for public improvements, and levying of a tax to pay the interest and sinking fund on same, and for maintenance.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15, of Article 7, of the Constitution of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 10. The University of Texas is hereby established and permanently located in Travis County, and shall be a university of the first class. The Legislature shall provide for its organization and for its development, maintenance and permanent improvement, and shall make by appropriation and otherwise such provision as may be necessary for the promotion of literature and the arts and sciences, pure and applied, in a university of the first class. The affairs of the University of Texas shall be administered by its own governing board as provided by law. The present members

of the board shall continue in office until the expiration of their respective terms. The location herein made of the University of Texas shall in no way affect the location of the medical branch thereof situated in Galveston County.

Sec. 11. All lands and other property granted by the Republic of State of Texas to the University of Texas, or the University of Texas and its branches, except the lands transferred by Section 13 of this Article to the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, and to the Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College, shall, together with the proceeds of the sale of such lands, constitute the permanent university fund. All the income derived therefrom shall be the available fund, and shall be applied to the support and development of the University of Texas and to meet its obligations. The proceeds from the sale of university lands shall be invested as authorized by law for the investment of the permanent school fund. The one-tenth of the alternate sections of lands granted to railroads, reserved by the State, which was set apart and appropriated to the establishment of the University of Texas by an act of the Legislature of February 11, 1858, entitled "An Act to establish the University of Texas" shall not be included in or constitute a part of the permanent university fund.

Sec. 12. The Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas is hereby established and permanently located in Brazos County and separated from the University of Texas and constituted an independent college. The Legislature shall provide for the organization of said college and for its development, maintenance and permanent improvement, and shall make by appropriation and otherwise such provision as may be necessary to accomplish the purpose of said institution, which, without excluding classical and cultural studies, shall be to teach and develop those branches of learning which relate to agriculture and the natural sciences connected therewith, the various branches of engineering, the mechanical arts and military sciences and tactics. The affairs of the Agricultural and Mechanical College shall be administered by its own governing board as provided by law. The present members of the board shall continue in office until the expiration of their respective terms. The Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College for Colored Youth is hereby established and its government and control shall continue under the governing board of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas. Provided the Legislature may establish junior agricultural colleges subsidiary to the Agricultural and Mechanical College and under the control of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas.

Sec. 13. Of the land heretofore set apart to the University and to the University and its branches by the State of Texas, and remaining unsold, there are hereby transferred to and made a part of the permanent fund of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas six hundred thousand acres of land of average value; there are hereby transferred as a permanent fund to the Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College one hundred and fifty thousand acres of land of average value; and all of the remainder of the said land shall constitute a part of the permanent fund of the University of Texas. The Legislature shall provide for the division of the land as specified herein. The land herein set apart to the University, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas and the Prairie View State Normal



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## LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Get it at Windrow's.

Cleaning and Pressing at City Tailor Shop.

Earl Watson was up from Biry Thursday.

Walter Rothe was over from D'Hanis Tuesday.

That good kind, refrigerators. Holloway Bros.

Gasoline and oil stoves sold on trial. Holloway Bros.

For Sale, De Laval cream separator. Apply at this office.

Rud. Posch and family were up from Biry Wednesday.

Ice cream freezer. We have your kind. Holloway Bros.

Mrs. Chas. Wallrath of D'Hanis visited in Hondo Tuesday.

Cane seed for sale 80c per bushel, f. o. b. Hondo. L. Moñfeld. 33-11

Ben Reitzer of D'Hanis transacted business in Hondo Saturday.

J. M. Koch, the hotel man, was over from D'Hanis one day this week.

Jos. Langfield of D'Hanis passed through here Wednesday en route to Houston.

Henry Kueck, Jr., the silo and machinery man, was a San Antonio visitor this week.

Good pictures, cleverly portrayed by the world's best screen artists at the Star Theatre every night.

For first class cleaning and pressing phone the City Tailor Shop, Phone 125, we will call for your clothes and deliver them promptly.

Patronize our advertisers; it pays.

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Mrs. Hutzler made a trip to San Antonio Monday.

Cotton Chopping hoes. Good prices. Holloway Bros.

Miss Kate Saathoff came over from D'Hanis Monday.

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Rev. F. G. Moses of Tarpley was in Hondo this week.

Martin Franger visited friends in Hondo the past week.

Ice cream freezers. We have your kind. Holloway Bros.

Mrs. Ed. de Montel was a passenger to San Antonio the first of the week.

HALT.—Palm Beach Suits cleaned and pressed for 75c. at S. G. Carter's.

Monroe Taylor, who is employed at Natalia, visited here during the week.

District court adjourned Saturday and Judge Burney left Monday for his home.

Misses Burgin and Miss Koch of Yancey, were passengers east Wednesday.

For Sale—Two lots in the Bless addition. Apply to M. Beal at the barber shop. 40tf.

For Sale—Two good residences in the south part of Hondo. Apply to C. W. Gilliam. 11.

Paul Weynand of the Citizen's Motor Car Co., was a business visitor in San Antonio this week.

Get your fishing rods, reels and minnows from C. R. Gaines. A large assortment just received.

Several Hondoites attended the dance at Old D'Hanis Saturday night and report a pleasant time.

Geo. Gould, who came to Hondo Sunday to visit friends, returned to his home in Houston Wednesday.

Equip your Ford with a set of Ford Presto Demountable Rims. We have them in stock. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

For Sale, Some Tamworth pigs three months old. Price \$5.00 each. Apply to Lee Ward, telephone line 6-5 R. 11.

The Brotherhood of American Yeoman request that all members be present at the next regular meeting, May 17th.

Mrs. H. B. Taylor and sons, Monroe and Harry, and Miss Lucile de Montel motored to San Antonio during the week.

Prof. H. S. Roller of Bronson, Texas, formerly superintendent of the D'Hanis school, was a Hondo visitor this week.

Fisk "Red Top" Tires—Four thousand mile guarantee—Adjustment on defective tires made here. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

Mrs. Emil Batot and little son have returned to their home in San Antonio after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Felix Batot.

J. A. Mott of San Marcos was here during the week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Van Fleet, and looking after business interests.

Agent Jungman and Mrs. Jungman were in San Antonio Monday, where Mr. Jungman attended the meeting of the railroad agent's convention.

I will auction my household goods and some farm implements next Tuesday, May 18th, at the old Metzger farm. LOUIS METZGER.

Mrs. Georgia Wahrmond, who was here to attend the unveiling of the monument to L. B. Wahrmond by the W. O. W. lodge Sunday, left Thursday for her home at Harper.

This paper only \$1.00 a year. Try it Judge V. H. Blocker visited Danlay Tuesday.

Full line carpenter's tools. Holloway Bros.

Order your next suit from the City Tailor Shop.

Gasoline and oil stoves sold on trial. Holloway Bros.

Miss Myrtle Marlin visited friends in Sabinal this week.

Hondo needs a dairy and it can't run without your patronage. This means you. Tom Heath. 40-tf.

Mrs. C. J. Bless went to San Antonio Monday, where she is taking medical treatment.

The milk wagon makes two trips daily to town. Tell or phone your milk needs to Tom Heath. 40-tf.

Buy Red Seal Batteries—they are guaranteed good. Fresh supply just received. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

Section Foreman P. H. Lynch has improved the streets and right-of-way near the depot by putting down gravel.

The clothes we clean, press and repair speak for themselves. Our service is at your command. Fone 179. S. G. CARTER.

Messrs. Jim Brown and Herman Weynand and Misses Stella Onsette, Maggie Brown and Mattie Koch motored over from D'Hanis Sunday.

Mail orders promptly attended to. Phone or write us for any and every thing usually sold in a Drug store. W. H. Windrow, Prescription Druggist, Hondo.

For Sale—One Iron Safe, medium size in good shape. Will sell cheap as we have two and don't need but one. For price and particulars see McClaugherty & Horger.

J. W. Short of Bandera, who spent several days here last week visiting his brother, D. W. Short, returned to his home Monday, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Emma Short of Seguin, who will spend a while visiting on the ranch.

Mr. Martin informs us that the formal opening of the park and airfield will take place Saturday, May 22nd, at which time County Judge R. J. Noonan and County Attorney Elmer de Montel and probably others will deliver addresses.

The construction of a commodious residence in the Fly Addition was begun Monday by Robert Zerr. It will contain live rooms and two large halls and will be quite an addition to a part of town, notable for pretty residences. H. F. Woods is the contractor.

The Longview school, of which Miss Jennie Woolls is teacher, closed for the term last Friday afternoon. Recitations, dialogues, etc., by the pupils afforded entertainment, while the patrons of the school furnished light refreshments, and a very delightful afternoon was spent by all who attended.

Miss Nettie Woolls' kindergarten closed for the term last Friday evening with an entertainment, consisting of songs, dialogues, recitations, etc., in which the little tots proved themselves capital entertainers. Quite an audience was present and the efforts of the little entertainers were greeted with generous applause.

The citizens of Quilhi have established a new cemetery, and a meeting was held there Thursday afternoon for the purpose of apportioning the burial lots among those who in the course of time will find a final resting place there. The plat of ground selected for the new cemetery is susceptible of being made a very pretty place, and it is purpose of the people out there to ultimately provide the water so essential to the beautifying of the place.

Equip your car with a Morse "Ever-Full Water System." Keeps water from boiling and keeps the radiator FULL ALL THE TIME. Every one guaranteed. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wahrmond, who were here at the unveiling of the W. O. W. monument to L. B. Wahrmond in the Hondo cemetery Sunday afternoon, returned to their home in Melvin Thursday.

Get your Presto-lites from the Hondo Garage & Repair Shop—Gaines old Stand—and equip your car with the best. Small size, \$1.50; large size, \$1.75. Quality guaranteed satisfactory. Carter & Haass, Proprietors.

A cotton grading school will be taught by H. S. Longley, an expert cotton classifier. Government standard classification will be taught. School will begin at D'Hanis, May 15th. Number of students restricted. Early applicants favored. Terms reasonable. 40tf.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Gerdes and daughter, Esther Stella, left Thursday for El Paso again, after several months' visit to relatives in Hondo and vicinity. They were accompanied as far as Del Rio by Mrs. Gerdes' mother, Mrs. S. Rohlf, where she is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Brien, and family.

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### GROCERY ORDER

We have everything usually carried in a first-class family

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Our goods are nice and fresh and are sold at moderate prices. Ring

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We have a full line of the celebrated Heinz Preserves and Relishes

Full line carpenter's tools. Holloway Bros.

Cotton Chopping hoes. Good prices. Holloway Bros.

Martin Nester and Mr. Rothe were over from D'Hanis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McClain were San Antonio visitors this week.

Mr. Engelman of Uvalde was the guest of relatives here this week.

Miss Magdalena Meehler, the trained nurse, was here from Uvalde Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest F. Wilson and baby of Luling are guests of home-folks here.

Mrs. G. W. Bennett returned to San Antonio Tuesday after a pleasant visit to relatives here.

Ridiculously low prices on tires. See my stock, get the prices and be convinced. C. R. Gaines.

Found—A bunch of keys. Owner can have same by calling at Wohlschlegels saloon and paying for this notice.

Sunday, May 9th, 1915, at their ranch home on the Sees, a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Rothe.

Mrs. Tuttle, after a visit with her daughter here, Mrs. J. W. Cruse, returned to her home at Plainville Thursday.

Mrs. Geo. Carle and children, Miss Fannie and Mrs. Marvin Beal and George and Barnitz motored to San Antonio this week.

The injunction case of P. Allen vs. J. E. Dubose, was heard by the county court Thursday evening. The injunction was overruled by the court, and notice of appeal given.

A recital will be given by the music classes of Misses Harris and Saathoff Friday evening, May 21st at 8:30 o'clock. A nominal admission price of 15 and 25 cents will be charged to defray expenses.

L. A. Baby of Dunlay, Texas, is giving away a 100-piece dinner set, nicely decorated, with Steer Brand Coffee, having just received a big shipment of this coffee. One piece goes with each package.

H. E. Haass, Attorney at Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Twenty-six years experience.

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But the gold can buy the drugs here which will loosen many a cramped stomach or muscle and health's gate will roll wide open when you apply them rightly.

Pure drugs, chemicals, medicines, toilet and sick room accessories, perfumes, soaps—everything for the bath or shaving here.

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Come in and talk the matter over with us before buying your lumber elsewhere. We are here to serve you—to be so useful to you that YOU GET THE HABIT of sending to us for all of your Building Material, Brick, Iron Roofing, Paints, Etc. Hondo Lumber Company, Incorporated.

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Have your house wired and use Tungsten Lamps. They will give you more light, better light and reduce the cost. See us.

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### For Sale.

The celebrated A. D. Mebane Cotton Seed, for the A. D. Mebane Cotton Seed Co., of which the originator of this seed is President. The price is \$1.50 per bushel f.o.b. Lockhart, Texas. Place your orders now with Fritz Friedrichs.

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Proprietor  
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35c. per dozen; 2 doz. for 65c. postpaid.

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Get roofing that lasts.

What's the use of spending money for repairs and frequent re-roofing?

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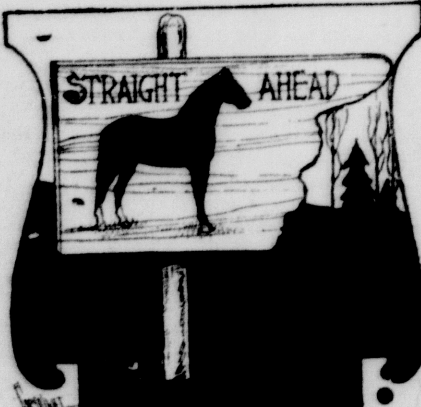
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If We Please You Tell Others!

If We Don't Please You, Tell Us!

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## Can You Afford

To neglect your personal appearance when our prices for cleaning, pressing and repairing clothes are easily within your means.

## Can You Afford

To overlook the importance of personality as relates to outer garments.

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We solicit your patronage and agree to give you unexcelled service.

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**Palm Beach Suits Cleaned and Pressed 75c.**

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The Anvil Herald does job printing. That good kind, refrigerators. Hol-

loway Bros.

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yesterday.

We have good gasoline irons. Hol-

loway Bros.

Hon. John T. Briscoe was here from

Devine Thursday.

Mr. J. J. Wolff was a business call-

er at this office Saturday.

Mrs. H. S. Kirby was a business

call at this office Friday.

Attention is called to the Paige ad

of the Hondo Auto Sales Co.

Mrs. Brown and little niece of Yan-

ey went to Seguin yesterday.

For Sale Cheap—A sewing machine,

almost as good as new. Apply at this

office.

H. B. Hudson, of the Hondo Auto

Sales Co., was a San Antonio visitor

Friday.

Fred Bowman of Devine was here

this week and left yesterday for Dun-

can, Ariz.

Mrs. John Hardt has returned to her

home in Uvalde after a visit to re-

latives here.

A marriage license was issued on

May 8th to Henry A. L. Nietenhoeffer

and Miss Clara L. Boehle.

## TIRES

At Reduced Prices at C. R. GAINES

Full line carpenter's tools. Hol-

loway Bros.

We have good gasoline irons. Hol-

loway Bros.

P. M. Licklider, the Yancey carpen-

ter, was a Hondo visitor Sunday.

We can print most any thing in the

job printing line. Get the Anvil Her-

ald's prices.

Mrs. Joe Breiten and grandson,

Armin, were business callers at this

office Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McClaugherty

have moved up from Yancey and will

make their home in Hondo in future.

They are occupying the Gilliam cottage

on Lucas street.

## ZELLERBACH

the old reliable, for

your Watch, Clock

and Jewelry repairs

We have good gasoline irons. Hol-

loway Bros.

For Sale—A good piano on easy

terms. Call at Windrow's drug store.

Messrs. Price, Thompson, Lilly,

Cude, Thompson and Evans were here

from Devine Thursday.

Mr. Aug. Wolff was over from

D'Hanis Saturday and while here paid

this office a business call.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Ney and chil-

dren, Miss Etta and Raymond, were

over from D'Hanis Thursday.

For Sale—One Player Piano. Used

one year. First class condition. Bar-

gain if taken at once. E. W. Martin.

Piano Tuning—C. M. Conger of San

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We buy eggs and pay you the cash

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fresh fruits and vegetables to any

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For Sale, A new five-room house

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Our friends are requested to render

all the assistance possible to The An-

vil Herald force by handing in write-

ups of all special events that may be

of interest to the public. Help make

the paper better than it has ever been

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Don't talk war but talk insurance

with Joe Fohn, who can supply you

with the best in the market in all

kinds of insurance except fire, in one

of the oldest and strongest compan-

ies in the world—The Aetna Life In-

surance Company.

Presiding Elder S. B. Johnston will

occupy the pulpit at the Methodist

church at the Sunday evening service.

There will probably be no preaching

service at the morning hour as the

pastor, Rev. J. M. Alexander, left to-

day for Del Rio, where he will conduct

quarterly conference for the presiding

elder, and Mr. Johnston will not be

able to reach here in time to officiate at

the morning hour.

### Ranch For Sale.

A Bandera county 3,200 acre ranch,

situated 8 miles from Bandera post

office, and 4 miles from a school; 50

acres under cultivation; 200 to 400 till-

able, balance untillable; good fences,

wells, 2 windmills, building, orchard,

etc. Land joins the Medina Lake;

creek through land; a fine stock ranch.

\$10 an acre; easy terms.

MRS. D. A. CHIPMAN,

Box 14 Bandera, Texas.

Wm. F. Neuman has received a

brand new Simplex Shoe Machine. It

sews any thing from an inch thick on

down.

Car load shipments into and out of

Hondo the past week were exceedingly

light, one car of corn going to market

and one of flour being shipped into

Hondo.

The commencement sermon for the

graduating class of the Hondo High

School will be delivered by Rev. J. M.

Alexander, Sunday morning, May 22,

at 11 o'clock at the Baptist church.

The pupils of the Hondo High

School gave a delightful rendition of

the dramatic farce, "The College

Town," at the Auditorium Tuesday

night. We are informed that they ac-

quitted themselves very creditably.

The monuments of Messrs. H. B.

Taylor, Louis Wahrmond and J. W.

Schultz were unveiled with beautiful

and impressive ceremonies by the

Bois D'Arc camp, No. 154, Woodmen

of the World, Sunday afternoon. A

large crowd, from all parts of the

county, was present.

When you want to buy or exchange

a gas tank for your car call on the

Hondo Auto Sales Co. Small tanks

\$12.50, Large tanks \$15, fully equipped

and put on your car ready for use.

Tank exchange, \$1.50 and \$1.75. Why

pay more? Satisfaction guaranteed or

money refunded.

A game of base ball will be played

on the local diamond here next Thurs-

day, but just what team will oppose the

Hondo team has not been definitely

determined but it is probable the visiting

team will come either from Sabinal or

Uvalde. Both of these towns are re-

ported to have strong teams and one

or the other of these teams will be in

Hondo next Thursday.

### Card of Thanks.

The Parents, Teachers and Friends

Club desire to thank every one who

contributed to the cake and candy

sale. Especially those ladies who are

not members of the club but manifest-

ed an interest in the work we are

doing. We wish especially to thank

Mr. Windrow for the use of his store

and Mr. Brown for his valuable as-

sistance in disposing of the cakes.

### Notice to the Public.

We, the blacksmiths of Hondo, will

close our shops promptly at 6 p. m.

from now on. Please note the change

and bring your work in time, so it can

be ready for you on or before 6 p. m.

J. H. MEYERS & Co.,

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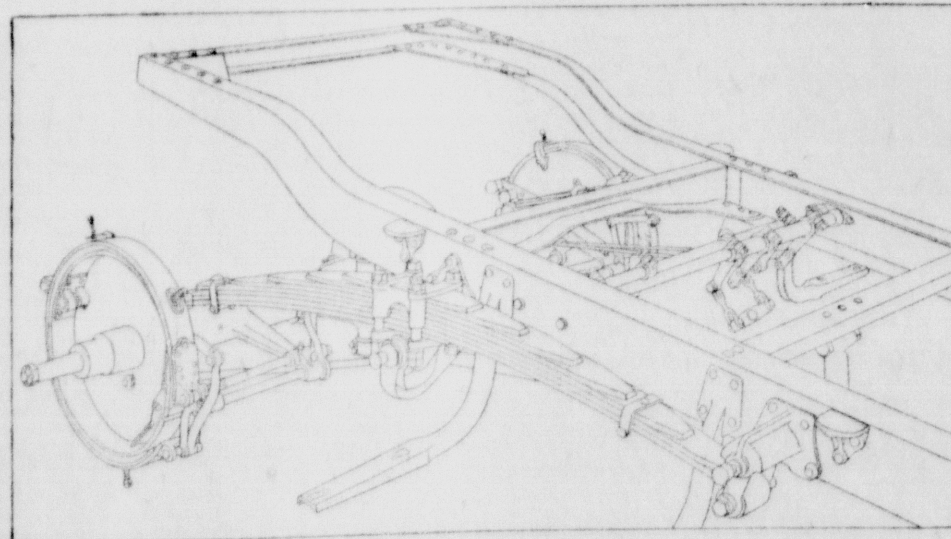
## The Value That Has Made All Competitors GASP is HERE

We are agents for Paige Cars and we want every one in Hondo to see this wonderful automobile value. No matter what kind of car you now have. Come see the PAIGE "SIX". It is positively the LAST WORD IN MOTOR CARS.

Continental's Latest type Six Cylinder motor (the kind the other fellow will have---next year).

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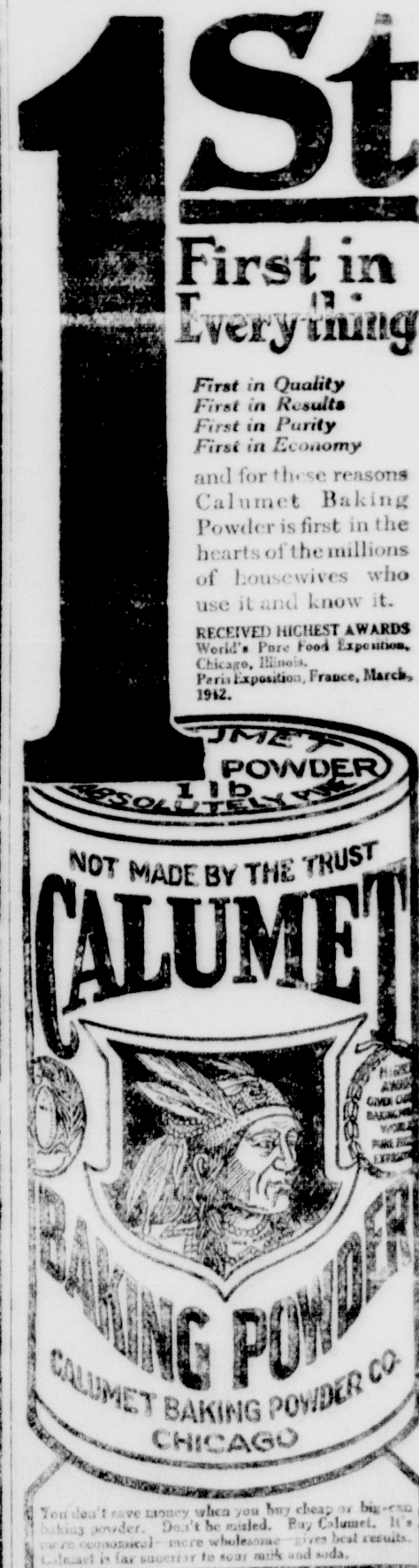
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I will stand my Jack at my ranch, 16 miles north of Hondo, for \$9.00 on 1 assure colts.  
34-3mo BEN DE GRODE.



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**You Cannot Afford**

to let your best calves and yearlings die of blackleg, when a few dollars spent on

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Just a little pill to be placed under the skin of the animal by a single thrust of the instrument.

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No Liquid to Spill.  
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**Do it Now.**

Loose this day loitering—'twill be the same story  
Tomorrow, and the next more dilatory;  
Thus indecision brings its own delays  
And days are lost lamenting o'er lost days.


Are you in earnest? Seize this very minute—  
What you can do or dream you can, begin it.  
Courage has genius, power and magic in it.  
Only engage, and then then the mind grows heated—  
Begin it and the work will be completed.

—Goethe.

THE harvesting of the oat crop in this section should cause business to improve as it means the influx of considerable ready cash.

REPORTS from all this section indicate a large attendance at the Hondo Summer Normal. A better place for a Normal could not be found, and you will do well to make your arrangements to join the throng.

LET not sleep fall upon thine eyes till thou hast thrice reviewed the transactions of the past day. Where have I turned aside from rectitude? What have I been doing? What have I left undone which I ought to have done? Begin thus from the first act and proceed; and in conclusion, at the ill which thou hast done, be troubled, and rejoice for the good.—Pythagoras.



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## HER FAMILY RELIC

Story of Coonskin Cap With Three Striped Tails Behind.

By MARTHA McCULLOCH-WILLIAMS.

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"I am not your Baby Buntins, but I do wish, dad, you'd catch me a little rabbit skin," Prue coaxed. "Several rabbit skins, indeed, Mrs. Jessy tans them beautiful—and says she'll show me how."

"What are they good for?" and questioned, wonderingly. "Nobody wears skin caps any more, I doubt if you could even give away your grandpa's coonskin, though it's perfectly good. I've kept it packed in tobacco because he wore it through the war."

"Oh! Please give it to me! Then—I won't bother you about the rabbit skins," Prue cried, excitedly.

Her father looked at her over the tops of his glasses, smiling shrewdly. "I hardly think you'll try to wear it—when you see it," he said. "Even though it has three mighty fine tails at the back and is lined with copious homespun."

"Get it! I'm wild for it," Prue all but commanded.

Squire Hazen got up sighing—he had settled himself for a half hour's ease with the weekly paper, while the men and teams rested. "Now, where did I put it? In the cowhide trunk? Or the big chest? Or some of them plunder-barrels out in the lumber house? Blamed if I recollect. But it certainly is somewhere. I don't believe, though, you'll find it worth the trouble of hunting up."

"I know I shan't—not for me myself," Prue admitted. "But say, daddy—do you know about antiques? And heirlooms? Some folks are wild for them. Oh, do make haste! I can hardly stand it—waiting to see."

"Oh I remember now—it's in the new hatbox—the last one I got—with the bell-crowned hat, you know—the year your mother died," the squire said briskly.

He mounted the stairs alertly, and after a bit of rummaging came down with a shapeless clump of something in lead-sugar purple paper that gave out a scent of tobacco, red pepper and camphor so pungent it made him sneeze violently.

"Indeed I won't sun it," she protested: "won't even air it, after one good look. The smell is a certificate of character—proving we've had the cap since the year one—"

"No. Only 1840, I thought I told you," the squire explained carefully.

Prue did not answer—she was too busy mining for the cap, as she mined nothing each fold of the enveloping papers, so she could put them back just as she found them. Presently she drew out something splendidly clumsy, a home-sewn fur cap, with, sure enough, three ringed tails pendant behind. The lining was as brilliant as ever, marked faintly in the center with the bear-grease which had subdued the too abundant locks of the original wearer. There was no visor—only a roll of rich fur for brow-shade. It had not lost a hair, albeit the skin beneath was flinty. Prue danced about, the cap high on her right hand, crying between steps:

"Don't say I'm an extortioner, daddy—but it is going to cost the Duntun family just \$100 to take back home with them this relic of a revolutionary ancestor! You know they're here especially to hunt relics. Can't you remember, please, that this went to some of those tiresome Indian 'wars'?"

"It might," the squire admitted. "But I don't know any farther back than the log-cabin-and-hard-cider time. Still, you surely are joking about the price. Why two dollars would be little short of highway robbery."

"Your commercial education is very deficient, sir," Prue said, pursing her lips. "Where God goes and gives money like wool, I at least feel it my duty to do a little shearing."

"You ask the Duntuns for it; they ought to know what things are worth to them," the squire said, going to the lot where the men were getting the mules.

Prue ran to the phone the minute the door shut on him, did some very diplomatic but energetic talking, then rushed upstairs, flung on her fall suit, looked at her image with sparkling eyes, seeing in imagination how she would look when the cap had been transmuted into stole and muff; then ran down, picked up the hatbox in which she had carefully replaced the cap, loaded it into the buckboard which stood ready at the stile and drove triumphantly away, sitting very straight, chin in air.

Day Molly, fat, fresh and speedy, was pining for exercise. She had had only one scant jog in two days. So when another vehicle whirled up behind she lay down to her work like a good fellow. When she chose nothing on four legs in the county could give her its dust. This was one of her times for choosing not to take it.

Before Prue realized it she was racing over the dirt road at a rate that made the buckboard bounce wildly at the rough spots and swing perilously in rounding turns. The other vehicle had not come quite abreast—Prue would not be so underbred as to turn and stare at it.

Presently she heard it stop short, then come on faster than ever. As it approached her there was shouting—

just what she did not make out. Molly took it evidently for a further challenge. They were coming to a rocky stretch, but she went over it full tilt, with a result that half away across it a trace snapped short off.

Molly did not mind such a trifle—but Prue was wiser. Tugging hard at the reins she stopped the mare by turning her into a fence corner. As she sat there ruefully wondering if after all she could not keep her solemn engagement with the Duntuns, pursuit became overtaking—a man said, "Young lady, this is providential. I never should have caught up with you to give you back what you lost."

"Lost?" Prue echoed, suddenly looking behind. The buckboard was bare—and the man held out to her the hatbox crushed out of all shape. "Ran over it before I could stop," he explained. He had got down and walked to her side to add: "I hope I have not broken anything. Hat boxes are so full of possibilities I tremble at sight of them."

"Nothing's broken—unless maybe my luck," Prue answered giggling. Then artlessly, she explained, winding up: "The Duntuns are going on the down train tonight—so this is my only onliest chance. Otherwise I'd have made them come to me. Now—maybe I can get there in time—it all depends on whether between us we can mend that wretched trace."

"I doubt it. You see, I'm a sufferer at such things," the stranger explained. "But suppose we do this: let me drive you to the gate at the parsonage—you say the Duntuns have boarded there—you can walk in and make out your accident was just outside—"

"But, won't it take you out of your way?" Prue demanded, flushing red.

"Not a bit," the stranger answered, smiling consolingly. "In fact I have to pass the place; the parsonage was one of my landmarks."

"So you're strange here," Prue commented.

He nodded. "Yes. But for that, I'd change rigs with you and let you drive all the way. It happens I also have an engagement to keep. With a lady—you see I can't very well break it. Is it a bargain? I assure you I'm respectable at least."

"Dear me! Who would think it?" Prue said lawlessly, beginning to laugh and scramble down. The stranger smiled wickedly. In a wink they were away, going at a snapping gallop that made up for time lost.

Thus Prue was able to walk into the parsonage living room exactly to the minute of promise. She was looking her best—flushed and happy. Mrs. Duntun liked the look of her so well she did not in the least demur at the price. "It's ridiculously cheap at a hundred," she said, so heartily Prue blushed beet-red. She wanted to get away quickly—home was a long way off, but Mrs. Duntun kept her, assuring her she must not think either of walking or risking that frisky mare again. She would be sent home properly—trust Mrs. Duntun for that—with her check and the very best grateful thanks of that lady. Meantime, she must have tea—it was all most time. It really seemed as though the rich lady purposely detained the girl, who felt herself a shameless plunderer. She had confessed as much to her unknown rescuer. He had laughed at her conscience, saying with a twinkle, "Don't you know things are worth what they will fetch?"

Prue did not think so now. Under the warm human kindness of the woman she had thought a pretender, she grew reactive. She got up meaning to say, "Now I really must go, but you are not to bother sending me," when in walked her knight of the road, smiling at her quizzically as he was smothered in Mrs. Duntun's well-nourished arms. "Joseph, my son, Miss Hazen," that lady made haste to explain. "Only think, he has come all this way because he won't let his old mammy and his pet sister make a journey alone. Now, what do you think of that?"

"That he is very kind," Prue answered, looking down, wishing the earth would swallow her. He had taken her hand though she did not hold it out. As he pressed it gently he said under his breath, "I'm positive I never saw you before. And just as positive I mean to see you again."

He kept his word. Today, Mrs. Prudence Duntun is a very happy woman, noted for her poise, yet she blushes unaccountably whenever she looks at one of the family relics—a coonskin cap with three striped tails behind and a copperas homespun lining.

Yes, indeed.

"Ostend is having some stirring times now."

"True. Still, Ostend is used to that."

"How so?"

"In days gone by whenever a French actress appeared on the beach in a new bathing suit there was a great deal of excitement."

Time of Changes.

"Pa, how do you like my map of Europe? I drew it for the prize competition next week."

"It doesn't look much like the map of Europe as I know it, my boy. But who can say that it won't be all right next week?"—Louisville Courier Journal.

Heading Her Off.

"Why do you keep yelping about the expense of your vacation?"

"My wife is getting ready to start early Christmas shopping. I know the signs and want to delay things as long as I can."—Kansas City Journal.

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- 206 acres, mesquite loam land, situated 5 miles north of Devine, about 40 acres rough land, balance all tillable, adjoining Medina Valley Irrigation Co., all fenced and cross fenced, about 100 acres in cultivation, two tenant houses, good well and windmill. Easy terms.
- 250 acres, two miles north-east of Hondo, 200 acres in cultivation, good six room house, good well, windmill and water-works. A bargain at \$60.00 per acre on easy terms.
- 2 1-2 lots in Brown-Woods Addition to town of Hondo. Adjoining the Church of Christ property. A pretty southeast front. \$500 cash.
- 596 acres about 4 miles west of Yancey on the Frio road, soil black-sandy, all tillable and level, 230 acres in cultivation, 4 small houses, 2 good wells and windmills. \$25.00 per acre—\$3000.00 cash balance to suit purchaser.
- 106 acres, live oak sandy land all tillable, 2 miles north of Devine, surrounded by the Medina Valley Irrigation Co.'s land, a fenced, 96 acres in cultivation, one tenant house, good well and windmill. Easy terms.
- 426 acres, 10 miles east of Devine, 140 acres in cultivation, good tillable land, one good tenant house, good well, 400 feet deep, inexhaustible water. Easy terms.
- Lots Nos. 1 and 2, Block 3, Los Angeles Heights, San Antonio.
- Lot No. 8 and west ½ of 17, block 57. Fine house and out-houses, Hondo. Old Fent place.
- Five lots in Hondo, good small house. Old Adolph Haass place.
- 116 acres, 4 miles northeast of Leslie, Searcy Co., Arkansas, \$300 cash.
- Lot No. 11, Block No. 3, H. Springs Heights, Sonoma Co. California, for \$35.00 cash.
- A 50x150 ft. lot in Burns Addition to Hondo, for \$250.
- Lots 11, 12 and 13, block 12, Los Angeles Heights Addition to San Antonio. Price and terms reasonable.
- Lot No. 12, block No. 311, Jourdan, Atascosa County, Texas, for \$100 cash or trade for property of equal value in Hondo or D'Hanis.
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# The Anvil Herald



## CASTROVILLE ANVIL SPARKS

This Department is in charge of our Anvil Agent for Castroville.

ED. H. HUEHNER, Editor

who is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steine and children of Dunlay were guests of Mercedes Henry Steine and Robert Rihl Saturday and Sunday.

Louis Mangold Sr. is the proud owner of a new Dodge Bros. Car which he purchased from the new firm of Cobb & Erner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Haby of Dunlay spent Sunday here.

Miss Georgia Steine happened to a painful accident by running a fish hook in her finger while trying to take a fish from the hook. Dr. FitzSimon was summoned and removed the hook.

Mrs. Aubrey D. Bean and little daughter of San Antonio are visiting friends here this week.

Mrs. H. B. Taylor and sons, Monroe and Harry, and Miss Lucile de Montel of Hondo stopped over on their way to San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Mangold of Bandera spent Saturday and Sunday with Louis Mangold and family.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hoog Friday and lived only 36 hours. The little form was laid to rest Thursday afternoon in the Catholic Cemetery.

Louis Scherrer is driving a new Dodge car on our streets since Monday.

Mrs. Caroline Bohl is still reported on the sick list.

Miss Mamie FitzSimon is spending several weeks with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. T. FitzSimon.

## Some Forms of Rheumatism Curable.

Rheumatism is a disease characterized by pains in the joints and in the muscles. The most common forms are: Acute and Chronic Rheumatism, Rheumatic Headaches, Sciatic Rheumatism and Lumbago. All of these types can be helped absolutely by applying some good liniment that penetrates. An application of Sloan's Liniment two or three times a day to the affected part will give instant relief. Sloan's Liniment is good for pain, and especially Rheumatic Pain, because it penetrates to the seat of the trouble soothes the afflicted part and draws the pain. "Sloan's Liniment is all medicine." Get a 25c bottle now. Keep it handy in case of emergency.

## County Exhibits at Fair.

A movement is on foot among county exhibitors that assures for the Dallas 1915 State Fair of Texas, October 16 to October 31—the largest display of farm, orchard and garden products in history. Dallas county will use four exhibit spaces, applications have been received from McCulloch, Mitchell, Van Zandt and Young counties, and various county associations are now negotiating for space. All of the counties heard from so far report splendid crop prospects, and especially is this the case of small grain, the small grain exhibition promising to be a record breaker. It is the consensus of opinion among county exhibitors that the State Fair is the best advertising medium at their disposal and they are going to utilize it more this year than ever before.

Did you ever hear of a girl who had so many offers of marriage that she had to use printed rejection slips?



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## Rangers Kill Two Mexican Cattle Smugglers.

El Paso, Texas, May 10.—In a fight between Mexican cattle smugglers and United States customs rangers and Texas Rangers, two Mexicans were killed below Alpine, when the Mexicans attempted to drive ninety head of cattle across the river to Mexico.

Two Mexicans, one a lieutenant-colonel in the Carranza army, were killed and several wounded. Will Ford Bates and River Guards Dowse and Wadsworth killed one of the Mexicans in a pistol duel, and Inspector Hawkins of the Texas Cattle Raisers' Association killed the other in a desperate pistol fight.—Austin American.

Mr. Hawkins spent several months here a few years ago and played ball with the Hondo team.

## Man Takes His Own Medicine Is an Optimist.

He has absolute faith in his medicine—he knows when he takes it for certain ailments he gets relief. People who take Dr. King's New Discovery for an irritating cold are optimists—they know this cough remedy will penetrate the linings of the throat, kill the germs, and open the way for Nature to act. You can't destroy a cold by superficial treatment—you must go to the cause of the trouble. Be an optimist. Get a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery today.

## Cotulla Farmers Organize.

Cotulla, Texas, May 11.—The Cotulla Farmers' Institute was re-organized here yesterday afternoon and the following officers elected: E. A. Keck, president; H. B. Miller, vice-president; L. C. Dunn, secretary and D. H. Davis, entomologist.

After the re-organization the following delegates to the State Farmers' Institute at Austin, July 27, 28 and 29, were chosen: L. C. Dunn, D. H. Davis and J. H. Gilbert. Fletcher Davis, field agent for the State Department, was present and spoke informally of the work of the department and the advantages of organization and co-operation.

Farmers here are busy harvesting the onion crop.—San Antonio Express.

## Whole Family Dependent.

Mr. E. Williams, Hamilton, Ohio, writes: "Our whole family depend on Pine Tar Honey." Maybe someone in your family has a severe cold—perhaps it is the baby. The original Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is an ever ready household remedy—it gives immediate relief. Pine-Tar-Honey penetrates the linings of the Throat and Lungs, destroys the Germs, and allows Nature to act. At your Drug-gist, 25c.

Young man, don't smoke cigarettes merely for the purpose of killing time. Time will continue to do business at the old stand long after you have quit.

It's easier for some men to get out of debt than it is for most others to get in.

## Grateful Mothers Tell Experiences

Mrs. T. Neurenger, Eau Claire, Wis., writes: "Foley's Honey and Tar Compound cured my boy of a very severe attack of croup after other remedies had failed. Our milkman cured his children of whooping cough. I know from our own experience that it is a wonderful remedy for croup, colds, croup, and whooping cough." Mrs. D. Gikerson, Youngstown, O., writes: "My little girl had a severe cold and coughed almost continuously. I tried lots of cough remedies, but she didn't get any better. The first dose I gave her of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound to me. The first dose I gave her relieved the inflammation in her throat, and after using one bottle the cough left her." This sterling old remedy has been in use for years and is just as efficient for adults as for children. It gives relief for irritated and tickling throat, tight and sore chest, griping and bronchial coughs.

W. H. WINDROW, Hondo  
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## Sturm Hill News.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Balzen and children and Mrs. Pauline Martin were dam site visitors last Sunday.

Robert Bless of MacDona was here the middle of the week on business and pleasure.

Mrs. Willie Eckhart and two children were Hondo visitors Saturday.

L. A. Saathoff and family of Green Hill and Fritz Saathoff and family of New Fountain paid a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Balzen last Sunday.

Mrs. Pauline Martin left for San Antonio Monday after a lengthy stay with her sister, Mrs. Fritz Balzen.

Rev. and Mrs. Hoefler and children of Quibi and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Saathoff and children were guests of Paul Oefinger Jr. and family Sunday.

Mrs. H. B. Balzen and daughter, Miss Frieda, Mrs. C. H. Fuos and daughter, Miss Ella, Mrs. Paul Oefinger Sr., Mrs. E. W. Balzen and Miss Elsie Oefinger were guests of C. A. Oefinger and family Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harm Gerdes and Mrs. C. L. Meyer were shopping in Hondo Saturday.

Oscar Bader of Hondo was here Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fuos and two children and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Fuos of San Antonio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Fuos Sunday.

John Lindenburg and family paid a visit to John Balzen and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Oefinger spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Saathoff.

Arnold Balzen is sporting a Ford car. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Britsch of Vandenberg visited relatives here Saturday.

Hubert Burger and family of Peach tree, W. J. Saathoff and family of Verdina and Charlie Britsch and family of Bandera left for the Medina Sunday angling for the finny tribe.

Misses Della Oefinger and Frieda Balzen, Messrs. Arnold and E. W. Balzen, Andrew Oefinger, Arthur Haass, Walter Fuos, Rollie Frerichs and Ad. Eckhart motored to Hondo Sunday.

May 11, 1915.

## White Man With Black Liver.

The Liver is a blood purifier. It was thought at one time it was the seat of passions. The trouble with most people is that their Liver becomes black because of impurities in the blood due to bad physical states, causing Biliousness, Headache, Dizziness and Constipation. Dr. King's New Life Pills will clean up the Liver and give you new life. 25c at your Druggist.

## Farmers' Institute at Encinal.

Encinal, Tex., May 10.—A farmers' institute was held at the school house here Saturday night. The following delegates were elected to represent the local institute at the meeting of the State Farmers' Institute at Austin, July 27, 28 and 29: H. L. Achilles, William Helwig, W. C. Tull and A. L. Mun. Besides other business, Fletcher Davis, field agent of the State Department of Agriculture, was present and spoke on agricultural topics, especially emphasizing organization, co-operation and diversification.—San Antonio Express.

## Infection in the Air.

Medical authorities agree that colds are infectious. In some cities children with colds are barred from schools. Spring's changing weather brings many colds. The quickest and safe way to stop colds, coughs and croup is to give Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. W. H. Windrow, Hondo; Louis Carle, D'Hanis.

## Sabinal Sentinel Sifting.

Fletcher Davis, representing the State Department of Agriculture, was in Sabinal Monday and Tuesday and went to Knippa Tuesday afternoon.

Val. Vollmer has been attending the State Bakers' Association this week in San Antonio.

Chas. Johnson went to San Antonio Monday Night.

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## LACOSTE DOTS.

Items of Interest Culled from The Herald.

Miss Meda Bippert entertained her friends with a card party at her home on the Sauz last Wednesday night. Those present were: Misses Alma Wurzbach, Pauline de Montel, Mayme Reichert, Elizabeth Biediger, Irma Loessberg, Mary Hawkes, Ida Reichert, Elsie Pinn, Regina and Elenora Mangold, Hettie, Meda and Alma Bippert; Messrs. George Schuchie, John Hawkes, Paul Christilles, F. R. Dickey, R. J. Mangold, Wm. Reichert, Wm. Keller, Albert Salzman, Wm. Wurzbach, Gus Tripp and Jim Bippert. Several games of high five were played after which delicious refreshments were served. The ladies prize went to Miss Elenora Mangold while Mr. R. J. Mangold captured the gentleman's prize.

The directors of the farmers' union held a meeting here this week. Those present were: H. F. Wurzbach, O. J. Wurzbach and Joe Steinhilf, Cliff, John G. Bippert, John Mechie, Frank Bohl and Henry Haass. The board arranged to have a meeting at Castroville Saturday, May 22.

George Mangold and Henry Haass went to San Antonio Thursday in Dr. Koontz's car after the doctor and his family.

Mrs. Chas. Graff and son of Hondo were guests of Andrew Keller and wife Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Halty was a pleasant visitor to the Alamo City one day last week.

Mrs. Chas. Hitzfelder called on Mrs. W. H. Hawkes the first of the week. Messrs. Otto and Henry Wurzbach and Jas Stein of Cliff were here to attend the Directors' meeting at the Farmers' Union Warehouse Wednesday.

Joe Halty of Castroville was here on business the first of the week.

Howard Mangold spent a few days last week in the Alamo City.

Messrs. Alex Hitzfelder, Paul Christilles, D. R. Bippert and H. J. Reus left for Hondo Sunday night.

Mrs. Chas. Moeller returned from a visit to San Antonio, Thursday. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Morse.

Misses Jessie and Mildred Matthews, Florentina Keller and Messrs. Matthews, F. R. Dickey and Eugene Keller spent a pleasant evening with the Misses Biediger Monday.

Miss Meda Bippert is spending a few days with her brother, Alfred, and family.

T. J. Hawkes of San Antonio is visiting his brother, W. H. Hawkes. J. L. Mangold spent Sunday with Mrs. Mangold in San Antonio.

John Conrad and family of Noonan were guests of relatives here the past few days.

Jac Rihn and family of Spindletop paid a visit to relatives here Monday.

Mrs. Lee Bush and children paid a call to Mrs. W. H. Hawkes one day the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biediger were Cliff visitors Monday.

George Christilles made a trip to Castroville and Riomedina this week and says the roads need the road bond graveling for sure during the bad weather.

Adolph Mangold of Castroville was here Sunday.

Adolph Reyman and family were business visitors to San Antonio last week.

Henry Haass made a business trip to Lytle Monday.

Mrs. M. A. Kauffman and Mrs. J. L. Mangold returned from San Antonio Thursday after a two weeks stay with relatives.

A. F. Wurzbach of Cliff was here Wednesday.

## "Slow'd up" at Middle Age.

The hard working kidneys seem to require aid sooner than other internal organs. At middle age many men and women feel twinges of rheumatism, have swollen or aching joints and are distressed with sleep disturbing bladder ailments. Foley Kidney Pills are safe, prompt and can be depended on to give relief. W. H. Windrow, Hondo; Louis Carle, D'Hanis.

Short ladies should avoid much trimming on their skirts, says a fashion writer. Yes, and so should long long ladies, if their husbands are short.

Our "Jitney" Offer—This and 5c.

Don't miss this. Cut out this slip, enclose with five cents to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills, and Foley Cathartic Tablets. W. H. Windrow, Hondo; Louis Carle, D'Hanis.

A woman considers a hat becoming if it makes her look only a few days older than she says she is.

After doing the hostess stunt at a reception a woman takes off her smile and rests.

## STOMACH TROUBLE FOR FIVE YEARS

### Majority of Friends Thought Mr.

Hughes Would Die, But

One Helped Him to

Recovery.

Pomeroyton, Ky.—In interesting advices from this place, Mr. A. J. Hughes writes as follows: "I was down with stomach trouble for five (5) years, and would have sick headache so bad, at times, that I thought surely I would die.

I tried different treatments, but they did not seem to do me any good.

I got so bad, I could not eat or sleep, and all my friends, except one, thought I would die. He advised me to try

Thedford's Black-Draught, and quit

taking other medicines. I decided to take his advice, although I did not have any confidence in it.

I have now been taking Black-Draught for three months, and it has cured me—haven't had those awful sick headaches since I began using it.

I am so thankful for what Black-Draught has done for me."

Thedford's Black-Draught has been found a very valuable medicine for derangements of the stomach and liver. It is composed of pure, vegetable herbs, contains no dangerous ingredients, and acts gently, yet surely. It can be freely used by young and old, and should be kept in every family chest.

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## UGH! CALOMEL MAKES YOU SICK. DON'T STAY BILIOUS, CONSTIPATED

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Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working, your headache and dizziness gone, your stomach will be sweet and bowels regular. You will feel like working. You'll be cheerful; full of energy, vigor and ambition.

Your druggist or dealer sells you a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone under my personal guarantee that it will clean your sluggish liver better than nasty calomel; it won't make you sick and you can eat anything you want without being salivated. Your druggist guarantees that each spoonful will start your liver, clean your bowels and straighten you up by morning or you get your money back. Children gladly take Dodson's Liver Tone because it is pleasant tasting and doesn't gripe or cramp or make them sick.

I am selling millions of bottles of Dodson's Liver Tone to people who have found that this pleasant, vegetable, liver medicine takes the place of dangerous calomel. Buy one bottle on my sound, reliable guarantee. Ask your druggist about me.



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## False Economy

Perhaps you use an alum baking powder because you think it is cheaper and therefore more economical. But is it?

Leading food experts and medical authorities have for years declared that alum baking powders are not safe to be used. The chief European nations prohibit them altogether.

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Royal Baking Powder, which is made from cream of tartar, adds only healthful qualities to the food.

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ATLANTA, GA.

Whenever you see an Arrow, think of Coca-Cola.

Fred D. Vore.

In the passing of the subject of this sketch the newspaper fraternity of this state loses one of its foremost descriptive writers and newspaper makers.

Death claimed Fred D. Vore Sunday morning at 10:55 after an illness of nephritis covering about ten days duration. His wife and little son, Fred D. Jr., and several friends were in attendance when the peaceful ending came.

Deceased was born July 30, 1876, at West Liberty, Iowa, but the greater part of his life was spent at What Cheer, Iowa. About twelve years ago he came to Arkansas with his father and mother, who located at Rogers, Arkansas. Having been engaged since early manhood in newspaper work he continued the vocation and established the Atoka Democrat, Atoka, Okla. When thus engaged he was married to Miss Mary Walker, of Russellville, Aug. 2, 1908. He afterwards sold the Democrat and later established the Clarksville Ark., Democrat, which he conducted for two years, selling the same and for a short time was engaged in selling real estate. He soon, however, returned to his first love and again entered the newspaper business getting out "special editions" for the weekly papers over Arkansas. In this work he was highly successful and his work was appreciated both by the press of the state and the public who patronized his efforts in putting "Arkansas to the front" through printers ink profusely and featuring the great agricultural, industrial and social conditions of Arkansas. While engaged in this work he took an active part in working up an interest in the "Arkansas on Wheels" trains and accompanied two of them on their trips through the North and East. His work in this city will be remembered by all the business men and readers of the Free Press. On March 23, 1910, he came to Stuttgart and edited a big special feature write-up of Stuttgart and distributed through the business firms of this city 20,000 copies of the Free Press, the largest number of a single edition ever published from any office in this city. He was afterwards engaged in the management of the Free Press as advertising man and local reporter, a position he filled for a year, when he resigned to accept a more lucrative position with the Missouri & North Arkansas Railway. He put in about six months with the company and in the retrenchment policy of the road in cutting expenses lost his position. He came back to Stuttgart March 1st and again entered the Free Press service and put in two weeks previous to his last illness.

He was a member of the Elks, A. O. U. W. and Masonic orders. Socially he was a genial companion full of love for his fellowman. He was obliging and generous and liberal to a fault. His friends were legion and in his daily life he was optimistic, full of hope and confidence in his fellowmen.

He was a member of the Southern Methodist church at Clarksville, Ark. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Frederick Getty, pastor of the M. E. Church, at the home of Mrs. Sarah Malle, 602 South Grand Avenue Monday at 10:30 a. m. The remains were taken to Rogers, Ark., for burial Wednesday.

A wife and little son of this city and an aged mother, Mrs. E. E. Vore, of Hondo, Texas, who was in attendance at the funeral, survive him.

Jesse Dodson, of Lewisville, brother-in-law of Mrs. Fred Vore, was in attendance at the funeral.—Stuttgart, Ark., Free Press, March 27, 1915.

### Board of Equalization.

Notice is hereby given that the Honorable County Commissioner's Court of Medina County, Texas, will convene and sit as a Board of Equalization on the 3rd Monday in May, A. D. 1915, same being the 17th day of said month, for the purpose of receiving from the Assessor of Taxes of Medina County all his assessment lists, books, etc., for their inspection, correction, equalization and approval.

Witness my hand and seal of office, in Hondo, Texas, this 30th day of April, A. D. 1915.

(L. S.) S. A. JUNGMAN,  
Clerk County Court, Medina County, Texas.

### Epworth League Program.

Sunday, May 16, 1915.  
Leader—Emma Neuman.  
Subject, A Prophet who Wrote Nothing and Did Everything.

Opening Song.

Prayer.

Scripture reading.

Song.

I. Talk, "Doing Things"—1st Vice President.

II. "Elijah Himself"—Pearl Newton.

Song.

Talk, "Will Power"—Mr. Crain.

Consecration—Nellie Buchanan.

Instrumental Solo—Lolo Buchanan.

Talk, "Courage"—Santon McGary.

III. Elijah's Work.—Annie Callahan.

Necessity of a Personal Choice—Verna Mae Hudspeth.

IV. "Elijah's Power"—Nettie Woods.

## Herman Sons' DANCE

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### Clean-up Day.

Last Monday, Hondo's clean-up day, while it was observed by the majority of our citizens others failed to do their duty in this respect and luxuriant growths of weeds still mar many of the streets of the town. However, as a result of clean-up day the appearance of the town has been considerably improved. The hot summer months are here, and rank growths of weeds are lurking places for mosquitoes and flies, and consequently a menace to the health of the town, and it is to be hoped that those who failed to give their premises, and the streets adjacent thereto a thorough cleaning up on the day set apart for it, will yet see the necessity of the move and get busy. Any day will do for clean-up day, and on the cleanliness of the town depends the health of our people.

### Paint Now.

If you ought to have painted last year and waited, how much do you think you made?

You'll buy an extra gallon this year. There's \$5 or \$6 for paint and labor. You think you won't, but you will; you can't stretch paint.

It is always so: the longer you wait, the more paint and wages. Besides what paint is for. What is it for?

DEVOTE.

Holloway Bros. sell it.

### No. 113

## Official Statement of the Financial Condition of

## THE HONDO STATE BANK

at Hondo, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 1st day of May, 1915, published in the Anvil Herald, a newspaper printed and published at Hondo, State of Texas, on the 15th day of May, 1915.

### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$ 89,586.79
Loans, real estate	7,740.00
Overdrafts	555.50
Real Estate (banking house)	6,164.70
Furniture and Fixtures	1,800.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net	\$26,419.11
Due from other Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	698.87—27,117.98
Cash Items	351.92
Currency	8,114.00
Specie	2,282.89—12,748.1
Interest on Depositors Guaranty Fund	2,160.59
Other Resources as follows:	
Assessment for Bank Guaranty Fund	261.88
Total	\$148,136.25

### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	\$ 30,000.00
Surplus Fund	6,500.00
Undivided Profits, net	7,893.01
Individual Deposits subject to check	163,733.24
Other liabilities as follows:	
Certified checks	100.00
Total	\$148,136.25

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Medina, We, E. R. Leinweber as president, and H. F. King as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

E. R. LEINWEBER, President.  
H. F. KING, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 8th day of May, A. D. 1915.  
(Seal) AUG. HORNUNG,  
Notary Public, Medina County, Texas.  
Correct—Attest:  
WM. A. SCHMITT,  
GEO. MUENNINK,  
P. JUNGMAN, Jr., Directors.

### Stores to Close Early.

HONDO, TEXAS, May 8, 1915.  
The undersigned business houses agree to close on every Thursday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock during the months of May, June and July, commencing on Thursday, the 20th inst., so that our employees may attend base ball games or enjoy such other recreation as they may desire.

SUGARMAN SUPPLY CO.  
SCHMITT & STEINHARDT.  
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W. F. NEUMAN.  
BOON & SON.  
HONDO AUTO SALES CO.  
S. G. CARTER, Tailor.  
SUNRISE LUMBER CO.,  
O. J. Hilgers, Mgr.  
GEO. CARLE, JR.  
HONDO LUMBER CO.,  
F. Batot, Mgr.

### Notice to Our Friends and Patrons.

We have decided to discontinue our retail feed business in Hondo, but will continue in the wholesale business and will handle seed in season. We are going to be in position to handle your oats crop when ready for market at top prices; also the maize and corn crop in season. We wish to thank our patrons for favors shown us. We have tried to serve you faithfully, and regret that we find it advisable to discontinue our retail business.

HONDO COMMISSION CO.

### Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have qualified as Administrators of the Estate of John W. Schulte, Deceased, and all parties having claims against said Estate, are requested to present same to us, as required by law.

April 28th, 1915.

JOSEPH HORN,  
LINA HORN,  
P. O. Dunlay, Texas,  
R. R. No. 1.

### New Store at New Fountain.

We wish to announce to our friends and the public generally that we have opened a general merchandise store at New Fountain, and have a new stock of goods on hand which we will sell at reasonable prices. We will pay cash for country produce. We solicit a share of your patronage.

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### Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has qualified as Executor of the Estate of Volke and E. A. Bohlen, Deceased, and all parties having claims against said Estate, are requested to present the same to me as required by law.

April 28th, 1915.

JOHN G. BOHLEN,  
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Rev. C. S. Long, the pastor, preaches at 11 o'clock, a. m., every 4th Sunday. Rev. C. M. Licklider preaches every 1st Sunday at the same hour.

Presbyterian Sunday School at 10 o'clock a. m., every Sunday.

The service is invited to attend all of the services of the church.

### Posted.

Our pastures are posted according to law, no hunting or fishing allowed therein.

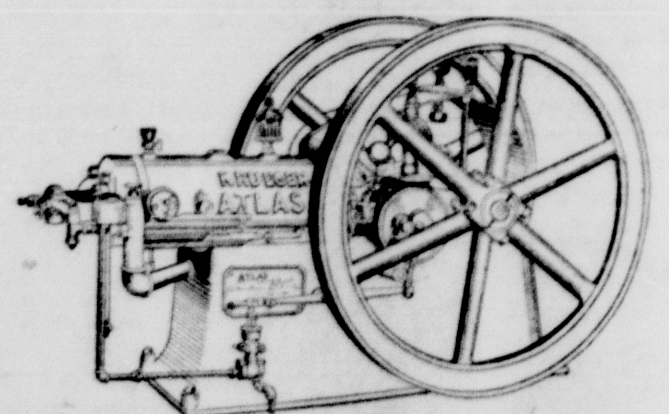
WILLIE AND ALFRED SCHLENTZ.

### Taken Up

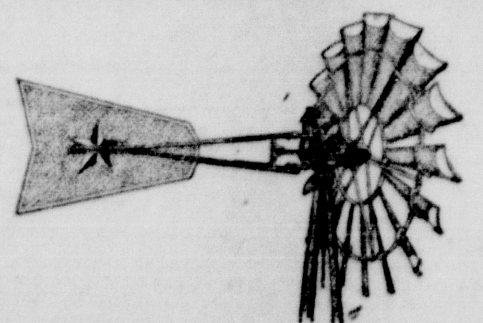
On the 22nd day of April, 6 Billy Goats at my place about 4 miles above D'Hanis. Owner can have same by paying for this ad and my trouble.

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